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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of

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For: THRUST NEEDLE ROLLER BEARING, SUPPORT STRUCTURE RECEIVING  
THRUST LOAD OF COMPRESSOR FOR CAR AIR-CONDITIONER, SUPPORT  
STRUCTURE RECEIVING THRUST LOAD OF AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION,  
SUPPORT STRUCTURE FOR CONTINUOUSLY VARIABLE TRANSMISSION,  
AND . . TRANSMISSION

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 6 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.